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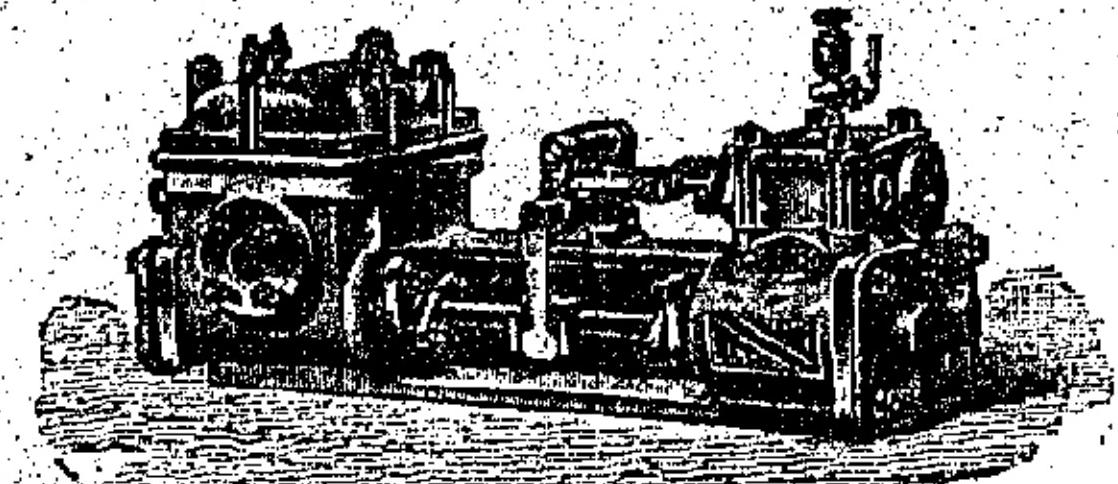
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W. HUTTON POTTS,
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Hongkong, March 20, 1901. 62

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NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD,
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Hongkong, March 19, 1901. 626

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Hongkong, March 19, 1901. 621

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| El Capitan, Pilsener, per 4 oz. | 13.00 | 3.50 |
| El Capitan, Quatre, per 4 oz. | 13.00 | 2.25 |
| Jubilee Pilsener, per 4 oz. | 13.00 | 3.50 |
| Quarts | 25.00 | 2.50 |
| Jubilee Pilsener, per 6 oz. | 13.00 | 2.25 |
| Pints | 16.00 | 2.10 |
| Munich, Dark, per 4 oz. | 14.50 | 3.75 |
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| Blatz, American, per 6 oz. | 24.00 | 4.00 |
| Blatz, American, per 10 oz. | 24.00 | 4.00 |
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| DRAUGHT ALE AND STOUT. | 34.00 | |
| Hopheads—54 Gals | 10.00 | |
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MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

Auctions.

11 a.m.—Auction of Sundry Victualling Stores, at H. M. Naval Yard.

2.45 p.m.—Auction of Household Furnitures, at No. 7, Cameron Terrace, Kowloon.

Meeting.

9 p.m.—Meeting of Victoria Preceptory and Priory.

Amusements.

9 p.m.—Performance by the Mr. Harry Dallas Musical Comedy Co., in the City Hall.

Miscellaneous.

Goods per *Treasor*, undelivered after this date, subject to rent.Goods per *China*, undelivered after this date, subject to rent.Goods per *Serbia*, undelivered after this date, subject to rent.Goods per *Bendech* not cleared after this date, subject to rent.

General Memoranda.

WEDNESDAY, March 27.—

Noon.—Meeting of Shareholders of the Queen Mines Ltd., at the Registered Offices of the Company, 38 and 40, Queen's Road Central.

Noon.—Meeting of Shareholders of China Sugar Refining Co., Ltd., at Office of the General Agents.

12.30 p.m.—Meeting of Shareholders of the Lazon Sugar Refining Co., Ltd., at the Offices of the General Agents.

THURSDAY, March 28.—

2.45 p.m.—Auction of Household Furniture, at No. 1, Stewart Terrace.

FRIDAY, March 29.—

2.45 p.m.—Auction of Household Furnitures, at No. 1, Canton Vilas, Kowloon.

Goods per *Austria*, undelivered after this date, subject to rent.

SATURDAY, March 30.—

Noon.—Auction of Pianos, &c., by Mr. Geo. P. Lamerton.



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LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Notes by the Way.

Lieut. A. H. Stewart, Hongkong Volunteer Corps, has got six months' leave of absence.

Mr H. Trockey's residence, No. 107 Bluff, Yokohama, was burnt down on the 12th inst.

The treaty of commerce between Belgium and Korea was ratified on the 12th inst.

As a result of the Consular action, the lotteries are to be prohibited in the Foreign Settlements at Shanghai.

The report of the Acting Principal Civil Medical Officer Dr Ball, for 1900 is published in the Gazette.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to recognise D. J. M. de Zuñiga as Honorary Consul for Spain.

A telegram to the Manchurian says that Li Hung-chang is the only high official who supports the Manchurian Convention.

The Government seeks information.

On the 27th February, the Government wrote to the General Committee of the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce, forwarding copy of a letter from the Standard Oil Company of New York, and inquiring whether, in the opinion of the Committee, the trade in naphtha and gasoline was likely to assume any large proportions in the Colony. On the 11th March, the Committee sagely replied to this naive query to the effect that though at the outset the trade would be small it might eventually attain to considerable proportions.

Domestic Servant Registration.

At the meeting of the new Committee of the Hongkong Chamber of Commerce on the 19th inst., it was stated that in accordance with the decision come to at the last meeting, a letter was despatched to the Government on the subject of the registration of domestic servants, in reply to request to the Chamber for their opinion to the effect that the Committee considered that the enactment of such a law would be undesirable and probably impracticable. The Chairman said he thought that closed the matter so far as the Committee were concerned.

Too Busy!

Some time ago, it will be remembered by those who take an interest in the development of trade with China, we published a communication from Mr H. Kopsch on the transit of produce in China.

The communication was brought to the notice of the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce, and considered by its Committee on the 19th inst. In this letter, Mr Kopsch urged that the Treaty Powers should insist on the Chinese Government accepting and adopting the Chinkiang outward transit regulations at all Treaty Ports, &c. The Chairman said this was a large question, and would require more consideration than they had been able to give to it, and he thought it would have to be taken in connection with that large question of Tariff Revision. The Committee heartily concurred in these remarks. At the same meeting, the Chairman said the Secretary had, owing to pressure of work, been unable to draft a letter to the British Minister at Peking to give the views of the Chamber on this subject as requested. He thought this matter would entail a good deal of enquiry and consideration, and from the present aspect of affairs up North he was afraid the opportunity for the settlement of the Tariff and kindred questions was still distant.

Hongkong Police.

The report of the Captain-Superintendent of Police for the year 1900, published in the *Hongkong Government Gazette* of the 9th inst., is interesting reading, says the N.C. Daily News.

The force consists of 900 men, namely 174 Europeans, 512 Indians, and 223 Chinese; these figures including Police paid for by other departments and private firms, and also the engineers, coxswains, and steersmen.

The discipline of the force may be judged by the number of reports against the men during the year. Against 174 Europeans, 126 reports were made; against 512 Indians, 335 reports were made; and against 223 Chinese, 930 reports were made. After seeing these figures it rather surprises the ordinary reader to learn that the Captain-Superintendent reports of the Europeans that the conduct of the contingent was on the whole good; of the Chinese contingent, that it was on the whole satisfactory; but one can quite easily understand that he considers the conduct of the Indian contingent was far from satisfactory. We note that no arrest was made in three out of four cases of murder. Virtue and goodness are, after all, merely a question of comparison. That the Captain-Superintendent should pronouncedes he does speak ill for the local standard by which the police are judged.

Small-pox.

There were seven fresh cases of small-pox in the Colony during the week ended 23rd March. The deaths numbered six, bringing the total up to twenty-one since the beginning of the year. During the past 24 hours one fresh case was reported.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Plague.

During the week ended 23rd March, there were eight fresh cases of plague and ten deaths. During the past 24 hours there have been three Chinese cases. The death for the year now total 62.

Hongkong in Quarantine.

Mr R. C. Wilcox, Secretary to the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce, informs us that the Government is in receipt of a telegram from the Colonial Secretary, Straits Settlements, in the following terms:—"Hongkong declared infected."

Alice Memorial Hospital.

The Hon. T. M. Stirling, Member of Parliament for Alice Memorial Hospital, has acknowledged the following donation to the funds of the Hospital:

Butterfield & Swire \$100

E. E. & China Telegraph Co. 50

Johnson, Stokes & Master

MONDAY, MARCH 25, 1901.

THE CHINA MAIL.

Intimations.

HONGKONG HOTEL CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THIS ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Company's Hotel, on TUESDAY, the 28th March, 1901, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts of the Company to the 31st December, 1900, with the Report of the Directors, and to discuss any matter that may be competently brought before the Meeting.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 10th to the 26th March, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

C. MOONEY,
Secretary.

Hongkong, March 16, 1901. 604

QUEEN MINES, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THIS SECOND ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS of the above Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, 38 and 49, Queen's Road Central, on WEDNESDAY, the 27th March, 1901, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, together with a Statement of Accounts for the period ending 31st December, 1900.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 1st to the 27th March, both days inclusive.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,
General Manager.

Hongkong, March 16, 1901. 603

CHINA SUGAR REFINING CO., LTD.

NOTICE.

THIS TWENTY-THIRD ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS of the Company will be held at the Office of the General Agents on WEDNESDAY, the 27th March, 1901, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving their Report and Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1900.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 1st to the 27th March, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHEWS & CO.,
General Agents.

Hongkong, March 7, 1901. 626

LUZON SUGAR REFINING CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THIS NINETEENTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the Company will be held at the Offices of the General Agents on WEDNESDAY, the 27th March, 1901, at 12.30 p.m., for the purpose of receiving their Report and Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1900.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 13th to 27th March, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHEWS & CO.,
General Agents.

Hongkong, March 7, 1901. 527

UNIVERSAL TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the General Manager has made a CALL of \$15 on the HOLDERS OF SHARES in UNIVERSAL TRADING CO., LTD., which CALL is PAYABLE to the General Manager on the 31st March, 1901, at the Company's Registered Office, No. 4, Des Vaux Road Central.

ELLIS KELLY,
General Manager.

Hongkong, January 1, 1901. 245

THE BRITISH NORTH BORNEO CO.

NOTICE.

APPLICANTS are invited for the position of SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC WORKS & GOVERNMENT SURVEYOR. Applications and copies of testimonial to be sent to the undersigned, from whom terms may be learnt. Appointment to be taken up as soon as possible.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO.,
Agents.

Hongkong, January 25, 1901. 108

BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE.

NOTICE.

WHEREAS the following un-issued Notes have been STOLEN from the Premises of the BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE, and which said Notes are expressed on the face thereof to be payable at the Branch Office of the said Banque in Saigon, the numbers of which said Notes are as follows:—

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The Public are hereby CAUTIONED against purchasing or dealing in any way with such Notes, as the Banque de l'Indo-Chine accept no liability for the same. By order of the Chief Manager in Saigon.

FOR THE BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE.

L. BURINDAOUE,
Active Manager.

Hongkong, February 25, 1901. 445

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER, DIVISION OF THE PHILIPPINES.

NOTICE.

SEALED PROPOSALS for CONSTRUCTIONING A HARBOUR at MANILA P.I. will be received at this Office until 11 o'clock A.M., August 1st, 1901, and then Publicly Opened.

Work to be done includes about 150,600 cubic yards rip-rap, 21,000 cubic yards concrete, and rubble masonry. In walls, about 6,000,000 cubic feet of dredging and 4 piles bulkheads, 4,700 feet long.

Dredging in mud, sand and shells to a depth of 30 feet required.

Dredged material to be used for reclaiming land.

Bids must be accompanied by a Bond, One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000) Gold.

One Contract will be made for the whole Work.

Contractor's Bond will be 10% of the amount bid.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

For specifications and blank forms apply to this Office, Bureau of Insular Affairs, Washington, D.C., U.S. Engineer Office at New York, Chicago, and San Francisco.

JOHN BIDDLE,
Captain Engineers.

Manila, P.I., March 1, 1901. 545

Intimations.

EYE-SIGHT.

Mrs. N. LAZARUS, Optician, of London and Calcutta may be consulted for SPECTACLES at 10, Queen's Road Central, (R. HOUGHTON & CO.).

(Formerly opposite the HONKOKH HOTEL).

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Intimations.

NOTICE.

TE NDERS are invited for the creation of BRICK SHOPS at JESSETON for the North BORNEO GOVERNMENT, particulars of which may be seen at the Office of Messrs Ginn, LIVINGSTON & CO., Agents.

Hongkong, February 13, 1901. 349

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Sanitary Board Notices receive prompt attention.

Hongkong, January 21, 1901. 287

MADAME ZARIA.

FORTUNE TELLER.

LATELY Arrived from America, is at present on a visit to Hongkong. She can be consulted from 9 to 12 a.m., and 3 to 7 p.m. at the Annex to THOMAS' GRILL ROOM, No. 16, 2nd Floor.

Hongkong, March 16, 1901. 514

TALES
of a
TRAVELLER.

So astounding that did not the author vouch for their veracity, they would not be believed in,

by Harry de Windt

(Author of 'On the Equator,' 'From Pekin to Cabul by Land,' 'A Ride to India,' 'Siberia as it is,' 'Through the Gold Fields of Alaska,' 'To Behring Straits,' &c., &c.)

'In the Grip of the Law,' Will appear in the 'CHINA MAIL' on SATURDAY Next, 30th March.

The 'Tales' are for the most part true, they are of a sensational and most exciting nature, and are related with true dramatic power. Mr. de Windt's record is almost unique. He served as A.D.C. to his brother-in-law, Raja Brooke of Sarawak, in 1876-78; he travelled from Pekin to France by land in 1878; rode to India from Russia (via Persia) in 1880; inspected the prisons of Western Siberia in 1890; and visited mines and political prisoners in Eastern Siberia in 1894. In 1896 he attempted to travel from New York to Paris by land for the 'Pell-Mell Gazette'; he nearly perished on Behring Straits, but was rescued by a whale. He explored the Klondyke Goldfields in 1897.

Hongkong, March 23, 1901. 522

ADVERTISEMENTS.

The Attention of Advertisers is drawn to the Latest Hours for receiving Advertisements and Corrections to Advertisers.

Advertisements and Additions to Advertisers on Pages 1 and 4, should be sent to this Office not later than 10 a.m. New Advertisements should be sent in before 3 p.m.

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Hongkong, February 13, 1901. 1-83

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Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

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Section.

1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.
2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Wharf.
3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour's Office.
4. From Harbour Master's to the Market.
5. From the Market to Pedder's Wharf.
6. From Pedder's Wharf to the Naval Yard.

7. From Naval Yard to Blue Buildings.
8. From Blue Buildings to East Point.
9. From East Point to North Point.
10. Kowloon Wharves.
11. Jardine's Wharf.

| Vessel's Name. | Amer. No. | Captain. | Frig and Rig. | Tons net. | Date of Arrival. | Consignees or Agents. | Destination. | Remarks. |
|-------------------|-----------|----------------|---------------|-----------|------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------|
| Steamers. | | | | | | | | |
| Anping Maru. | 3 | Bendixen | Gen. str. | 771 | Mar. 24 | Jadson & Co. | Swatow & Foochow | March 27. |
| Aristea | 8 | Atman | Amer. str. | 662 | Mar. 24 | Mitsui Bussan Kaisha | | |
| Caution | 8 | Scopell | Amer. str. | 2028 | Mar. 24 | Mitsui Bussan Kaisha | | |
| Chow Tai | 1 | Unich | Amer. str. | 2164 | Mar. 24 | Mitsui Bussan Kaisha | | |
| Chrysanthemum | 4 | Morris | Gen. str. | 1116 | Mar. 23 | Butterfield & Swire | | |
| Diamond Match | 3 | Bowker | British str. | 1104 | Mar. 24 | Jardine, Matheson & Co. | | |
| Emperador | 3 | Christensen | Gen. str. | 965 | Mar. 25 | 21 Sander, Wieler & Co. | | |
| Excalibur | 3 | Bruhn | Gen. str. | 1240 | Mar. 24 | 17 E. A. Trading Co. | | |
| Fornos | 3 | Archibald | British str. | 903 | Mar. 24 | 19 C. P. R. Co. | | |
| Freiburg | 3 | Hodges | British str. | 906 | Mar. 24 | Shewan, Tomes & Co. | | |
| Glenogle | 3 | Frakes | British str. | 2854 | Mar. 24 | Siemens & Co. | | |
| Glengyle | 5 | Darko | British str. | 2399 | Feb. 25 | Dowell & Limited, Co. | | |
| Haihsing | 5 | W. Burdett | British str. | 2275 | Mar. 21 | McGregor Bros. & Gow. | | |
| Hankow | 4 | Pearce | British str. | 783 | Mar. 23 | Douglas Steamship Co. | | |
| Hanoi | 3 | Pannier | French str. | 993 | Mar. 23 | Butterfield & Swire | | |
| Hating | 3 | East | French str. | 705 | Mar. 20 | 11. Mart | | |
| Hilliao | 3 | Morles | French str. | 508 | Mar. 23 | 2. R. Mary | | |
| Holloway | 3 | W. Cross | British str. | 806 | Mar. 22 | Butterfield & Swire | | |
| Hsieh Ho | 3 | Port | British str. | 1082 | Mar. 24 | Siemens & Co. | | |
| Illicos | 3 | Risko | Gen. str. | 623 | Mar. 20 | Jelsoon & Co. | | |
| Jacob Diedrichsen | 4 | Pomfret | British str. | 1024 | Mar. 23 | Butterfield & Swire | | |
| Kingfisher | 4 | Riegen | Gen. str. | 1115 | Mar. 21 | Butterfield & Swire | | |
| Kuang-wang | 3 | Bradley | British str. | 1495 | Mar. 18 | Jardine, Matheson & Co. | | |
| Lokhang | 4 | Leask | British str. | 959 | Mar. 25 | Jardine, Matheson & Co. | | |
| Mausang | 5 | Milliken | British str. | 1643 | Mar. 23 | Jardine, Matheson & Co. | | |
| Mazagon | 5 | Cook | British str. | 2497 | Mar. 24 | 20 C. & O. S. N. Co. | | |
| Miles | 4 | Niemann | Gen. str. | 1694 | Mar. 12 | T. M. Stevens & Co. | | |
| Nippon Maru | 4 | Greene | Japan str. | 2407 | Mar. 20 | Tsien Yuen Kaisha | | |
| Omsing | 9 | Young | British str. | 1787 | Mar. 17 | Jardine, Matheson & Co. | | |
| Pakshan | 3 | Forres | British str. | 1236 | Mar. 21 | 21 Sander, Wieler & Co. | | |
| Perla | 3 | Almond | British str. | 1232 | Mar. 22 | Shewan, Tomes & Co. | | |
| Petrarch | 4 | Wicker | Gen. str. | 1235 | Mar. 23 | 21 Sander, Wieler & Co. | | |
| Pompey | 5 | Schoemaker | Amer. str. | 634 | Mar. 21 | U. S. Navy | | |
| Promo | 5 | Granit | British str. | 703 | Mar. 20 | 22 Siessens & Co. | | |
| Prosper | 5 | Christiansen | British str. | 2930 | Mar. 22 | Doddell & Co., Limited | | |
| Queen Adelaid | 4 | McNeil | British str. | 1002 | Mar. 20 | 20 Butterfield & Swire | | |
| Rambur | 3 | Stovell | British str. | 656 | Mar. 23 | Arnold, Karberg & Co. | | |
| Sabine Wickens | 3 | Nashet | British str. | 992 | Mar. 22 | 12 Bradley & Co. | | |
| Siam | 4 | Tidd | British str. | 1776 | Mar. 20 | Jardine, Matheson & Co. | | |
| Sanchiang | 3 | Moore | British str. | 1021 | Mar. 24 | 21 Butterfield & Swire | | |
| Tsukien | 3 | Patterson | Amer. str. | 1210 | Mar. 21 | 21 C. M. S. N. Co. | | |
| Tategami Maru | 3 | Sakamoto | Japan str. | 1668 | Mar. 24 | Mitsui Bussan Kaisha | | |
| Tautau | 3 | Sanders | British str. | 1002 | Mar. 21 | Arnold, Karberg & Co. | | |
| Victoria | 3 | Hellberg | Swed. str. | 1821 | Mar. 15 | Chinese | | |
| Whampus | 3 | Lave | British str. | 1109 | Mar. 24 | 21 Butterfield & Swire | | |
| Wingsong | 3 | Sells | British str. | 1517 | Mar. 25 | Jardine, Matheson & Co. | | |
| Yamaguchi Maru | 3 | Mura | Japan str. | 2059 | Mar. 22 | Nippon Yuen Kaisha | | |
| Sailing Vessels. | | | | | | | | |
| Adolph Obri | 3 | C. Ansbury | Amer. str. | 1450 | Dec. 19 | Standard Oil Co. | | |
| J. H. Smith | 3 | C. Baker | Amer. str. | 1450 | Dec. 19 | Standard Oil Co. | | |
| Madagascar | 3 | Smith | British str. | 1907 | Mar. 20 | 4 Standard Oil Co. | | |
| Mozambique | 3 | J. W. Dows | British str. | 2305 | Feb. 14 | Standard Oil Co. | | |
| Miville | 3 | Robert de Broe | British str. | 2262 | Feb. 14 | 6 Standard Oil Co. | | |
| Paul-Rene | 3 | Stevens | British str. | 1641 | Feb. 14 | 10 Standard Oil Co. | | |
| Sea Witch | 3 | W. Wilson | Amer. str. | 1172 | Feb. 21 | Master | | |

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The Lieutenant turned from his reading, crying: "This book is born,
With its numberless callous worldlings, and
cruel sinners galore;
Why does she rant at the clergy? Why
does she censure them all,
Deeming none fit for his office, each unpre-
pared for his 'call'?"

List to him, Mario Coralli! Hark, for his
language is wise!—
What was so wildly hysterical? Think you
the padres will "rise"?—
Little they heed of your ravings, little they
care for your blunder.
The good will be good and the bad ones,
ever and ever the same.

"Why spatter mud on the broadcloth?
Granted that are there who seek
Good of this world in abundance, only of
which should you speak.
Man is not cut out of carbboard, patterned
to fit in his trade.
Marvel you then that a scoundrel, some-
times a parson is made!"

"Fills it your spirit with wonder, if sometimes
the clerical saint,
Exhibits beneath your polish, the traces of
white-wash and pale?
Is there a critick of fancies? Is there
a flock that can keep
Each of its members untaunted, ever avoid
the black sheep?"

The Lieutenant yawned, as he murmured,
"Mario Coralli, you're wrong;
Man may be bad, but I fancy, you paint it
a trifle too sitting."

"There goes a parson marked 'villain'—
here are a pair of black sheep,—
Why there goes—a flock of—all ex-
clusive!"—a snore—the had fallen
asleep.

DOLLY.

MANCHURIAN CONVENTION.

Copy of the Draft.

The Peking correspondent of the N.-O. *Daily News* sends the following translation of this much-discussed convention:

1.—The Emperor of Russia, being desirous to manifest friendly feelings, agrees to complete his restore Manchuria to China without keeping in mind the fact of the recent warfare in the province, and Chinese administration shall be restored in its respects to the status quo ante bellum.

2.—China grants to the man-of-war company, as stipulated in the sixth article of the China Relaxed Concession, the right of guarding the line with troops, but the country being still in disorder and the number of such troops being insufficient, it is necessary to station a body of troops in the province, which, however, will be withdrawn as soon as peace and order have been restored, and the provisions of the present convention shall have been carried out.

3.—In case of emergency the Russian troops stationed in the provinces shall render all possible assistance to China to suppress disturbances.

4.—The recent attacks against Russia having been conducted principally by the regular troops, China agrees to make organic any army, before or after the opening of the railway, for the defence of the frontier. When China shall subsequently organise military forces their number shall be fixed in consultation with Russia.

The importation of arms and ammunition into Manchuria is prohibited.

5.—In order to safeguard the province China should immediately discuss such Governmental or high local officials as shall have committed improper acts in connection with foreign relations and against which Russia shall have protested.

6.—China should, notwithstanding previous armed conflict, subjects of any other Power in training naval and military forces in the northern provinces.

7.—In order to maintain peace and order, the local authorities residing in the vicinity of the neutral zone provided for in the fifth article of the convention relative to the lease of territory in Liastung, should establish such special regulations as would be suitable to the circumstances, and relinquish the administrative autonomy of Chinchoo, which was renewed to China in the fourth article of the special convention.

8.—China should not grant, without consent of Russia, to any other Power or its subjects any advantages relating to mines, railways, or other enterprises in the Manchurian frontier provinces, viz., in Manchuria, Mongolia, and Kalgan, Yarkand, Khoton, and in Turkestan. Neither shall the construction of new railways in these provinces, without the consent of Russia. Leases of territory outside of Neiwewang shall not be granted to the subjects of any other Power.

9.—China being under obligation to pay the war expenses of Russia, and claims of various other Powers, the amount of the Russian indemnities, the terms of payment and the security therefor, shall be adjusted conjointly with the other Powers.

10.—Indemnities to be paid as compensation for the destruction of the railway and the property of the Chinese by the company, and for the losses occurring from the work, shall be adjusted by both China and the railway company.

11.—When the indemnities for various damages shall have been agreed upon between China and the railway company, the whole or a part of the amount of such indemnities shall be met with advantages other than pecuniary compensation, that is to say, either revision of the existing agreement relating to the railway or grant of new advantages.

12.—China shall, as previously agreed, grant to Russia a concession for construction of a railway from the main or branch line of the Manchurian Railway towards Peking and to the Great Wall.

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HONGKONG VOLUNTEER CORPS.

THE ANNUAL INSPECTION.

The members of the Hongkong Volunteer Corps paraded on Saturday afternoon when the annual inspection by His Excellency Major-General Gascogne, C.M.G., took place at Causeway Bay. The men assembled at Headquarters at half-past two o'clock, and notwithstanding the very un-promising state of the weather, the attendance, was larger than in former years, which surpasses the Corps. The men were marched down Murray Road and along Queen's Road and Praya East to Causeway Bay, headed by the fifes band and the colours. On reaching the inspection ground the Infantry section received a large addition to its numbers by the inclusion of the Takao contingent. Late comers also fell in, and the numbers which attended for inspection were as follows:—17 officers, 270 non-commissioned officers and men, 8 unenrolled drummers total 300. The men were well turned out and inspected by Sir D. J. Baker, Dr E. S. Ford, Dr H. P. Mudar, Dr A. Simms, Corp. C. E. Warren, Corp. J. Toppin, Dr Chapman, R.W.P., Dr Begun, R.W.F.

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

The monthly meeting of the General Committee of the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce was held in the Chamber Room, City Hall, on Thursday, the 19th March.—Present: Sir Thomas Jackson (Chairman) C. Sharp (Vice-Chairman), Messrs. A. Haupt, Hon. R. L. Keirwick, A. M. Marshall, W. Poate, R. L. Richardson, N. A. Siehs, H. E. Tomkins, Hon. J. Thurlow (ex officio), and R. C. Wilcox (Secretary).

SIR THOMAS JACKSON.

The Chairman said that before proceeding to the business of the meeting he should like to say two or three words about his election as Vice-Chairman. He had called the members of the Chamber for his honour they had done him, but he had no idea that it was intended beforehand or he should certainly have declined it in advance. The fact was he had not the time to give to the work, and he should feel obliged if the Committee would find some one to take his place.

There being no response to his appeal, the Chairman said he must act for the present.

The Vice-Chairman said he was in much the same position as Sir Thomas Jackson. He had no idea that he would be elected or he should have protested against it. He really had not had the experience necessary. The Committee considered Mr Sharp should accept the position.

RESIGNATION OF MEMBER.

The Chairman read a letter to the Secretary from Mr A. M. Marshall tendering his resignation from the Committee owing to his early departure for Japan.

The Chairman, after expressing the thanks of the Committee to Mr Marshall for his services during the past year, proposed that Mr H. A. Ritchie be invited to rejoin the Committee in his place.

Hon. J. J. Kewell seconded, and the motion was carried.

APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE.

The Chairman proposed, the Vice-Chairman seconded, and it was carried, that the Corresponding Committee should consist of the Chairman, Vice-Chairman, Hon. J. J. Kewell, and Mr H. A. Ritchie, and the Arbitration Committee be composed, as follows:—Messrs. A. Haupt, W. Poate, R. L. Richardson, N. A. Siehs, and H. E. Tomkins.

THE TURN-OUT.

The Chairman.—That concludes the business on the agenda, gentlemen, but before we separate I think we should take some special notice of the services of the late Chairman and our colleague Mr Gray presented over the Chamber for some four years and gave great attention to the work. I do not think it is too much to say that the remarkable progress which has been made in the last four years was aided by his efforts. I therefore propose that the Committee do tender to Mr H. A. Gray their very hearty thanks for his eminent services as Chairman of this Chamber during the past four years, and the Secretary be instructed to convey this resolution to Mr Gray in writing (applause).

The Vice-Chairman said he cordially concurred with the remarks made by the Chairman about Mr Gray, and he had much pleasure in seconding the resolution just passed.

The resolution was then put and carried amid acclamation.

STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL.

(SUPPLIED THROUGH LETTERS.)

OUTWARD.—*Ord. Atlas*, *Elektra*, *Protector*, Feb. 1; *Olindo*, *Sirius*, 5; *Asonia*, *Neptuna*, 16; *Kien*, *Oceanus*, 22; *Cronion*, *Sorbon*, 26; *Ava*, *Mari*, *Bendix*, *Sztona*, *Kobe*, March 1; *Dundonald*, *Cymbeline*, *Ferdinand*, *Groome*, *Thirst*, 5; *Dugred*, *Sheik*, *Trevo*, 8; *John*, *Arnold*, *Laycock*, *Irene*, 12; *Bendix*, *Gisela*, *Thuc*, *Muri*, *Saturn*, *Ulysses*, *Hildegard*, 15; *Promethea*, *Kampania*, *Mari*, 19; *Ceylon*, *Cleopatra*, *Andalusia*, *Sege*, *Bonaire*, *Gerniquia*, *Shanghai*, 22.

HOMEWARD.—*Glenward*, Jan. 29; *India*, 25; *March 5*; *Jura*, *Paderborn*, 12; *Sachsen*, 15.

ARRIVALS AT HOME.

March 22, Devonshire, Hudson and Marie Valerie.

Mails.

The T. K. K. s.s. *America Mari*, with mails &c., left San Francisco for this port on the 21st March, and is expected to arrive here on the 28th March.

The N. Y. K. s.s. *Ameria Mari* left Singapore for this port on the 22nd March, and is expected to arrive here on the 27th March.

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The T. K. K. s.s. S. Co.'s s.s. *Sindbad* left San Diego on 20th Feb., for Hongkong, via Kobe.

The T. K. K. s.s. S. Co.'s s.s. *Sindbad* left Singapore on 13th March, and is due here on or about Sunday, the 24th March.

The Cal. & O. S. S. Co.'s s.s. *Bergenhus*, left San Diego, for Kobe and Hongkong on the 10th March, and is due here about 29th April.

The T. K. K. s.s. *Buckingham* sailed from Tacoma, for Japan and Hongkong, on the 7th March.

The N. P. Co.'s s.s. *Olympia* sailed from Tacoma, for Japan and Hongkong, on the 14th March.

Steamers Expected.

The N. Y. K. s.s. *Rosetta Mari* left Nagasaki for this port on the 22nd March, and is expected to arrive here on the 28th March.

The N. Y. K. s.s. *Mida Mari* left Singapore for this port on the 22nd March, and is expected to arrive here on the 27th March.

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The Imperial German Mail s.s. *Stuttgart*, left Kobe, via Nagasaki and Shanghai on Sunday afternoon, the 24th March, and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 26th April.

Latest Advices.

The Imperial German Mail s.s. *Prinzess Irene* carrying the German with dates from Berlin of the 4th March, left Liverpool on Saturday evening, the 23rd March, and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 26th April.

The P. & O. Co.'s s.s. *Savannah* left Singapore for this port on the 24th March, at 10 p.m., with the outward English mails, and is due here on Friday, the 29th March, at about noon.

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Hongkong, March 23, 1901. 660

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